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Interview Summary	Application No.	Applicant(s)
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Date of Interview: 14 June 2005.

Type: a) Telephonic b) Video Conference
 c) Personal [copy given to: 1) applicant 2) applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) Yes e) No.
 If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: _____.

Identification of prior art discussed: Mutzenberg et al. and Sicard et al.

Agreement with respect to the claims f) was reached. g) was not reached. h) N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: We discussed the interlocking/intertwinement of Mutzenberg et al. It is the Examiner's position that these terms mean "woven." With respect to Sicard et al., it is unclear whether the brazing/welding is done in both directions..

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

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ULA RUDDOCK
PRIMARY EXAMINER

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Examiner's signature, if required